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### **FLVS Global Begins Free 2015 Professional Development Webinar Series for Educators in March**

**ORLANDO, Fla.** – (Jan. 20, 2015) — [FLVS Global](#), a trusted provider of 6<sup>th</sup>-to-12<sup>th</sup> grade online and blended learning solutions, will host five free webinars for teachers, administrators, counselors and policymakers during 2015. The [series](#) covers a variety of topics impacting online and blended learning.

FLVS Global will kick off the webinar series with “[MythBusters: Online Teaching Edition](#)” on March 4 at 1 p.m. ET. Florida Virtual School (FLVS) Teacher of the Year Shawn Wigg will provide unique perspectives during an interactive overview of the strategies and experiences that have made FLVS a successful online education organization for more than 17 years.

“FLVS Global is committed to the professional development of educators throughout our industry,” said Ryan Rogers, director of FLVS Global. “These webinars provide an avenue for educators to learn about new strategies, tools and techniques that promote academic integrity and enhance the education students receive.”

Following the “Mythbusters” webinar, FLVS Global will host four additional webinars in 2015:

- [NCAA Guidelines for the Virtual World](#) – April 8 at 1 p.m. ET: FLVS Global Learning Specialists will lead a discussion of important considerations when seeking NCAA approval for the online classroom. The session will include a presentation by NCAA Eligibility Center staff regarding nontraditional coursework legislation and requirements.
- [Time Management for Teachers](#) – July 15 at 1 p.m. ET: Experts in online learning provide interactive training and share time management secrets geared toward online teachers.
- [Online Teacher Measurement and Evaluation](#) – July 22 at 1 p.m. ET: Aimed at administrators, experts share best practices for monitoring, measuring and evaluating online teachers to ensure accountability, professional growth and student success.
- [Academic Integrity in a Virtual World](#) – October 28 at 1 p.m. ET: The FLVS Academic Integrity team will lead a discussion of effective tools and strategies that promote and safeguard academic integrity in a virtual world.

Established in 2000, [FLVS Global](#) is the national and international arm of [Florida Virtual School](#), an award-winning, public school district and international leader in online learning that serves Kindergarten through grade 12.

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**About FLVS Global**

Established in 2000, FLVS Global is a trusted provider of grades 6-12 online learning solutions. It is the national and international arm of Florida Virtual School® (FLVS®), which serves students in grades Kindergarten-12 and provides a variety of custom solutions for schools and districts to meet student needs. FLVS has built a reputation within Florida as an education leader with a history of innovation. Now FLVS Global delivers its innovative courseware, training and expertise to a variety of online and blended programs for schools, districts, states and international agencies. For more information on FLVS Global, visit [www.flvsglobal.net](http://www.flvsglobal.net).

**About Florida Virtual School**

Florida Virtual School (FLVS) is an established leader in developing and providing virtual Kindergarten-12 education solutions to students all over Florida, the United States and the world. A nationally recognized e-learning model and recipient of numerous awards, FLVS was founded in 1997 and was the country's first, statewide Internet-based public high school. Today, FLVS serves students in grades Kindergarten-12 and provides a variety of custom solutions for schools and districts to meet student needs. For more information on FLVS, visit [www.flvs.net](http://www.flvs.net).

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